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"NARROW WEB CORONA TREATER"

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I, Paul F. Donovan, hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date of my signature.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. No extension of time in which to file a response is believed necessary. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required as set forth below. No additional claim fee is due. However, please debit any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 09-0025 as may be required in connection with the submission of this Amendment. IN NO EVENT CAN THE ISSUE FEE BE CHARGED TO THE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT.

Also submitted herewith is an IDS submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.97(c) with a check in the amount of \$180.00 to cover the requisite fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(p). A copy of a supplemental IDS mailed on May 12, 2003 (with return postcard showing receipt by the PTO on 5/16/03) is also submitted herewith (copies of the references are not included). The Office Action mailed on July 22, 2003 does not provide that the Examiner reviewed and considered said IDS. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner sign off on the previously submitted IDS and send notice thereof to the undersigned.

Lastly, a request for a change of correspondence address signed by the Assignee of record is included.

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